In the Specification:

Under the heading **CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS**, please amend the paragraph as follows:

This application claims benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/301,888, entitled "SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR USING CONTINUOUS MESSAGING UNITS IN A NETWORK ARCHITECTURE," filed on June 29, 2001 and which is incorporated by reference herein. U.S. Application No. 10/174,403, entitled "SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR USING CONTINUOUS MESSAGING UNITS IN A NETWORK ARCHITECTURE," filed June 17, 2002 also claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/301,888. This application also claims benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. [[60/_____]]60/347,921, filed October 18, 2001 by United States Postal Service Express Mail Serial No. EL701362699US, entitled "SYSTEM METHOD AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR COLLECTING INFORMATION ABOUT A NETWORK USER" (Attorney Reference No. 50642.00028) and which is incorporated by reference herein.